

Topic– Colour Mixing

Art Knowledge Organiser

Learning Lens: Colour Mixing

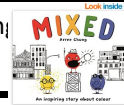
Class: EYFS

Previous Knowledge

Children’s experiences of painting from preschool settings and home.

Project Hook or ‘Wow’ memory

Mixed by Arree Chung (story). Read the story to the children to begin the colour mixing.



The key skills we want pupils to use during this topic:

Experiment with painting

Colour mix using primary and secondary colours

Key vocabulary

Mix	Combine or put together
Primary Colours	Red, Yellow, Blue (colours that can be mixed together to make other colours)
Change	Make different
Secondary Colours	Green, Orange, Purple (a colour resulting from the mixing of two primary colours)

Learning Step	Planned Activities (Key Knowledge)
Introduce Primary and Secondary colours.	Introduce the terms primary and secondary colours. Model mixing to the children. What happens when you mix primary colours together? Secondary colours together?
Experiment mixing colours	Colour Mixing Activities for children to explore. Bags of paint to mix together to see the change when mixed. Paint pallets to explore colour mixing. Each child to create a simple colour wheel by mixing the paints.
Create a colour dot by mixing primary colours.	Children to create their own colour dot (from the story mixed) Children to record the colours they mixed to create their own dot.
Continuous Provision Children to be given time to reflect and re-view their art work with their peers and adults.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ‘Creation Station’ accessible to children through out the day– paint, paper, chalk, glue, scissors, pens, pencils, hole punch, cellotape etc... Opportunities to mix colours– access to paints, brushes, paint pallets , mixing colour cards to show how to make certain colours.

Statutory Requirements

Children in reception will be learning to:

Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings. Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them. Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills.

